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Sir:

In response to receipt of an Office Action, mailed 23 August 2005, for the patent application identified above, please enter the following amendments:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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